## HELP THE FARMER. HUSBAND APPOINTED WALLACE PLEADS IMMIGRATION HEAD

Rise to Help All Busi-

Prices of Farm Products Must Vermont Man. Noted Expert on Problems of Aliens, Succeeds Caminetti. ness, He Says.

SEEKS SURPLUS OUTLET SPENT YEARS IN WORK

Indiets Statesmen for Ideal- Was in Close Touch With istic Schemes and Theories.

WASHINGTON, March 12 .- An appeal Special Desputch to The New York Hurall for every good citizen to do what he can to help the farmers through the period of depression, not for the sake of helping helping himself, was made to-day by tion in the new Administration, succeed Secretary of Agriculture Wallace in his ing Anthony Caminetti, Mr. Husbane first formal statement.

prices of other products come down be-Talk of bringing prices back to a pre-

of the producing sections." Citing conditions in the central West as an example, he said, that there, activithzanding that "we have the finest rural civilization, taken as a whole, the world ever has seen," the farmers are now in "a most trying period and are suffering severe financial losses." Farmers throughout the nation, especially those in the South and West, he added, are experiencing exactly the same trouble.

The widespread agricultural depression results from the high cost of production and because farm products have dropped "out of all proportion" to the prices of other things, Mr. Wallace said.

"While the farmer," he continued, "is selling the things he produces at prices no higher and for great surplus crops, lower than the pre-war normal. As long as such a condition continues," he added, "the severe agricultural depression is inevitable and it will certainly be communicated to industry and business generally."

"It is a terrible indictment of our modern civilization," Mr. Wallace assected, "when this great country is in the period of what might almost be called economic chaos because of our great surplus food supply, while across ithe seas, in both directions, almost haif the world is suffering for want of food if our statesmen had given more thought to getting the world back on a sound economic basis and perhaps had spent loss time on idealistic schemes and theories they would have rendered a great contribution to the peace and orderliness and happiness of the people on the earth."

The department, the Secretary said, would be everything possible to find an outlet for the great food surplus. Ways of producing more cheaply, new uses for surplus crops and better marketing systems, he said, would help the situation.

Everything which influences the pro-

control the finances of the country have the power to influence, either directly or indirectly, through credit extension, a arge amount of control over prices of tyras and wholesome agriculture.

BILL HIGH.

Capita Tax for Force is 9.3

Cents Over New York's.

Boston, March 12—Boston's per capita police bill of \$4.93 for the present year will be larger than that of New York. Chicago, Philadelphia or Detroit, Mayor Peters announced to-day.

Figures compiled by Edwin Parke, the Mayor's secretary, showed that this cost was 59 cents more than in Detroit and 93 cents higher than in New York.

Chicago's police protection, Mr. Parke said, cost \$1.08 less per inhabitant than Boston's. The department budget calls for the expenditure of \$4.113.725.

COTTON MILLS TO REOPEN.

New Bedford, Mass., March 12.—The Passaic Cotton Mills, which have been shut down six months, will operates seven ploying.

WORCESTER, Mass., March 12.—The merican Steel and Wire Company osted notices in its three Worcester Notices were posted to-day by the American Steel and Wire Company posted notices in its three Worcester plants to-day to the effect that beginning Monday the plants will be run eight hours a day instead of ten in order to prevent layoffs. The notices set forth that this condition will continue until business improves.

Thompsonville. Conn., March 12.—Notices were posted to-day by the Bigelow-Hartford Carpet Company that the plant will be closed Monday. The forth that this condition will continue until business improves.

Nightgowns

Nainsook, Batiste, Cotton Crepe and Crepe de Chine.

1.45, 2.65 to 24.50

Camisoles

Crepe de Chine or Satin, Lace or emb'd trimmed

2.75, 4.50 to 5.95

Negligees

Dotted Swiss, Silk, Taffeta, Corduroy, Practical styles.

5.75, 9.95 to 45.95

Corsets 4.95 to 18.00

5th Avenue

Legislation Recently Passed, but Vetoed by Wilson.

W. Husband of St. Jo Vt., is to be Commissioner of Immigra was nominated by President Harding Prices of farm products must rise and and confirmed by the Senate to-day.

fore the normal relation between them greatest authorities on immigration is has been restored, Mr. Wallace asserted, the United States. He has made a study Talk of bringing prices back to a prewar level, he declared, "is morally wrong and economically impossible," adding that "everybody would be better off" if an effort was made to bring about a price level, "say 70 per cent. above the pre-war normal."

Seceretary Wallance said he doubted whether the people in the East "realize just what has happened to the farmers of the producing sections." Citing conditions in the central West as an example, he said, that there, notwithstanding that "we have the finest rural civilization, taken as a whole, the world ever has seen," the farmers are now in "a most trying period and are sufferof the subject for many years and has

**Dainty Undergarments** 

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There is a Lane Bryant Corset suited to every type of stout figure, long-waisted or short-waisted.

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1.95, 2.95 to 13.50

Hosiery

98c, 1.39 to 2.95

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Knitted; also the well known Futurist Athletic Suit.

2.95, 3.25 to 4.50

Brassieres 98c to 8.95

Mercerized, cotton all silk. Extra wide.

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# Important Pre-Easter Offering of Women's Spring Suits Sale Price, 48.00

This is one of those occasions when both producer and distributer forfeit their usual margin of profit to give you unusual

The manufacturer of these Suits sold them to us for much below the regular wholesale price, and we, likewise, have marked them close to the cost to us.

The advantage to you is obvious -especially as it comes just when the need is greatest.

Every new Spring style feature is delineated in the assortmentadaptations from the Directoire mode, the engining Mandarin style and captivating box, straight line and belted vogues.

Materials

English Tweed Tricotine Gabardine Homespun Poiret Twill Hairline Stripe Men's Wear Serge

Many of the Suits are quite elaborately adorned with rich embroidery, fancy or plain braiding

nd on beading! Others are selfto immed in novel ways or absolutely unadorned.

Colors

Sand Rookie Black Navy Blue and Mixtures

Fourth Floor

Our Annual Pre-Easter Sale

# Long Gloves \$1.65

16-button length. double finger-tipped, Milanese Silk Gloves in Black. White. Beaver, Pongee. Mastic or Champagne. There is a complete range of sizes.

The vogue of the long silk glove, this Spring and Summer, is foreordained. Fashion has set her stamp upon it-the new Spring Suits and Frocks demand it. McCreery Quality and low prices make their purchase a temptation not to be resisted.

Always fresh and new in appearance, snugly fitting yet pliable to the last degree. They are of a quality which is bound to give the maximum of ser-

Main Floor

A Permanent Hair Wave for Easter

of especially good quality. Baby Week Price, 25c will add that final touch Infants' Knitted Booties of soft White Wool, with which perfects the general effect of your attire. pink or blue border.

## Newest Parisian Chapeaux Bearing Most Modest Prices!



By a surprising bit of Ribbon or Feather—an unexpectedness of trimming that turns the brim up pertly or curves it down-by such signs shall a French Hat be known.

In this new array from gay Paris you will see Maria Guy at her best, the inimitable Jeanne in entirely new roles and altogether bewitching creations from Lewis. Louise Marsy, Louison, Vimont, Helene & Julia, J. Evelyne Varon, Mary & Annie, Saget, Lambert Bernheim, Hermance and Margue-rite and Leonie. 18.00 to 95.00 (Third Floor Annez

"As The Spring-Time"

# "McCreery Silks"

Blossom Forth With a Burst of Gay Color

Every day brings wondrously beautiful new weaves and colors gleaned from all parts of the world—gorgeous Novelty Silk for sport wear, Canton Crepe, Crepe de Chine, Georgette Crepe, Crepe Chiffon, Satin, Taffeta, Gros de Londre and Faille. White Silks and Satins—Also Black Silk and Satin bear unusually low prices.

Specials for Monday

7,500 yards of a superior quality Satin Charmeuse a wide range of beautiful colors, as well as Black or White. Crepe Chiffon in double width-a wide selection of

New Spring Shirtings of heavy quality Crepe, 33 inches yard, 2.50 10,000 yards of a dependable quality Chiffon Dress Taffeta in new Spring colors, plain and glace, 36 inches yard, 2.50

2;000 yards of a heavy quality Lingerie Satin in Flesh. Pink or White, 36 inches wide. yard, 1.65 yard, 1.65 5,500 yards of rich, lustrous Satin Charmeuse. Black yard, 2.95

only, 40 inches wide. (Second Floor

## Women's Spring Gowns Of Enchanting Loveliness What a relief it is to be per-

mitted to indulge in color-real. vibrant color! No longer is the modish woman bound by fashion to bury her personality in a Navy Blue or Black Gown, unrelieved by color.

Our new Spring Gowns fairly vibrate with color-Harding Blue, brilliant Hennas, Jade, Beige, varying tones of Gray, Sand and striking combinations.

Showers of sparkling beads provide color on some -rich embroidery on others. Many take te straight, slim trails, while others flaunt flaring tunics and puffed sleeves. Most all have been given a romantic touch in the form of gayly colored trouba-dour sashes. Canton Crepes, Taffetas, Georgettes, Laces, Crepe de Chines, Satin, Nets, Lace, Tricotines, Poirets, Tricolette or Piquotines. 29.50, 39.50, 49.50, to 253.60

A Special Group at 55.00 Many fetching affairs of Crepe

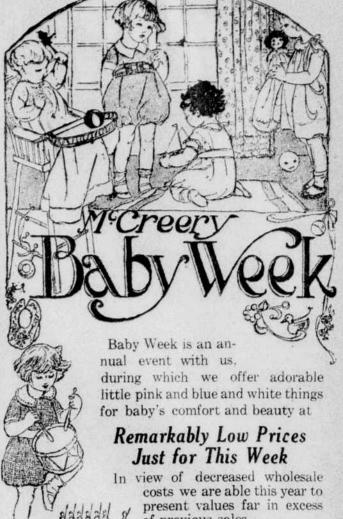
Satin, Canton Crepe, Taffeta and Crepe de Chine, very specially priced.

(Fourth Floor)

#### Spring Footwear for Women Special, 10.00

Modish new tailored models with odd-shaped in-step straps, plump welt soles and Cuban heels, in Tan Calfskin or Tan Calfskin combined with Beige or Gray Suede or Black Calfskin.

Another model in more "dressy" style is fashioned entirely by hand of Black Satin and adorned with inlay of Patent Leather. (Second Floor)



Long or short

Coats of White

Crepella, hand-em-

broidered collars

and cuffs. Silklined.

Baby Wesk Price, 10.25

Chine. hand-

stitched and lace-

Baby Week Price, 2.50

Hand-made Dresses,

long or short, of sheer Lingerie Cloth, hand-

Baby Week Price, 1.85

Baby Week Price, 50c

Infant's Flannel Binder

Infants' Knitted Sacques

decoration.

trimmed.

material.

Infants' White Caps of Crepe de of previous sales. Cambric and Muslin Crib Sheets. Baby Week Prices. 50c, 65c and 1.00 Stockinette Rubber Sheets, 20x30.

Baby Week Price, 85c Down Pillows, covered with White Sateen, 12x16. Bassinette Blan-kets with Pink or

Blue borders or bound with Satin. 2.50 and 2.95

Long and short White Flannel Petticoats with muslin tops—hand-em-broidered scallop.

embroidered.
Baby Week Prices, 2.25 to 3.95 Baby Week Price, 2.50 Long and short hand-made Petticoats of dainty Hand-embroidered Madeira Pillow Slips.

Baby Week Prices, 1.35 and 2.50 Baby Week Price, 2.95 Infants' Cotton and Hand-embroidered Ma-Wool Vests, 1st and 2nd deira Bibs, assorted cesizes. Baby Week Price, 1.15 signs. Baby Week Prices. 65c, 75c and 95c Infants' Silk and Wool Vests, full-fashioned.

Cambric Pillow Cases 12x16. Baby Week Price, 25c Long and Short White Dresses with hand-embroidered yokes.

Baby Week Price, 1.50 Short White Dresses with square neck and short sleeves, with lace and em-

White with Pink or Blue Baby Week Price, 1.50 border. Baby Week Price, 1.75 Excellent quality bird's-White Enamel Nursery eye Diapers, hemmed, 20x Trees; hand-painted floral Baby Week Price, 2.95

White Poplin Creepers stitched in Pink or Blue. Pink and Blue checked Sizes 1 to 3. Endurance Cloth Creepers Baby Week Price, 1.35

White collar, cutfs and Silk and Wool Teething belt. 1 and 3 years. Baby Week Price, 1.75 Bands. Baby Week Price, 95c Chambray Creepers,—Pink, Blue and Yellow, with White collar, cuffs and belt; hand-stitched. Sizes I and

Baby Week Price, 1.95 Creepers of White Poplin, handembroidered; also Pink, Blue or White Poplin, with Irish picot-edged collar and cuffs. Sizes 1 and 2 years. Baby Week Price, 2.50 Japanese Silk Quilts—plain and printed in Pink or Blue. Baby Week Price, 2.75

Japanese Baby Slippers of Pink or Blue Crepe de Chine, band-embroidered. Baby Week Price, 1.00 White Enameled Nursery Chairs with pottie; hand-painted decoration. Baby Week Price, 8.95

Quilted Bassinette and Crib Pads. 18x34. Baby Week Price, 70c 27x40. Baby Week Price, 70c

Bunny Pants,
White and Pink. Baby Week Price 50c





